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## *FROM THEIR MAJESTIES*

Let the bells be rung, send the criers out the four corners of the known world, for We, Lycurgus and Mikhailina have found two who are worthy to ascend the great Stag Thrones.

Troubled times have assailed this great Kingdom both from the North and the South. Then out of the rain a skilled warrior arose with a noble lady by his side. He vanquished the pretenders to the throne in all forms of combat while his lady showed compassion for those who were caught in the fray. Since We grow old and as of yet have produced no heirs of our own, We have decided to name BlackSwan and AnneAliz, Dread Lord and Lady of Argonia, Prince and Princess of the Outlands.

The Royal Chirurgeon has announced that the war wound to the King's leg is fatal and the foul infection may spread to his heart (and mind?)!* We ask the populace of the Outlands to remember this in times to come.

We would like for all the non-combatants who view tournaments and melees to remember that the competitors have a great love for weapons play and wish to demonstrate their skills as best they can. Instances arise during the flurry of combat whereby what the spectators see and what the combatants agree upon is not the same. We believe everyone wants to see Honor and Chivalry upon the field. However, there should be some trust by the populace in the honor of the combatants and the wisdom of the marshals. For instance, there were up to 6 marshals on the field during Crown Tournament.

At the Crown Tournament Roland O'Rourke was granted the Stag, an award unequal to his service. In addition, a brother to the Thegns was sought and the true Iron Heart of Takashi was revealed. Our newest Sensei, Sir Akira, arranged a glorious ceremony for his recognition, albeit by an French King, as a noble Samurai. Attaching a flag to one's back is a cultural phenomenon that Our eyes have never before beheld.

We have a great love of Archery and wish to see an award which carries a Grant of Arms be added to Kingdom Law. We solicit the populace to correspond with Us and describe what the requirements and types of archery should be in the charter. We have already discussed this with the Archer General and many of the members of the Golden Phaeon.

The first November Outlands War Practice will be held in Arquelle. Sir Cristophe has been busy arranging the future War Council of the Outlands which will be discussed at the practice. This event will include heavy and light fighters for all have a need to practice drills and strategies.

We thank you for your service and support,

*Lycurgus*
Dred Rex

*Mikhailina*
Korolyeva

* *This is but a bit of theatrics, no need to fear!*

*A note on formality*: It is proper to rise when Royalty or landed Barons enter a room or outdoor congregation of people. Then bow or curtsey with eyes lowered as the honored guest passes. The traditional address for those with a Duchy is "Your Grace", for those with a County, Barony or Court Barony is "Your Excellency." Please give a brief bow in the presence of these people. A Prince and Princess are called "Your Royal Highness." The King and Queen should be addressed as "Your Royal Majesty" but could also be called "Sire" and "Madam" if it is to their liking.

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Kevin the Fletcher

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*Champion of Domestic Arts and Sciences*
Baroness Leonora Kathryn de Provence

*Champion of the Visual Arts*
THLady Brenainn

*Champion of the Fiber Arts*
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*Mistress of the Robes*
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*Blue Iris Herald*
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*Royal Cobbler*
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*Protector of the Queen's Heart*
Herr Frithuric Ulman

*Rapier of Chivalry*
Don Madoch Greyson

*Pobornik Korlyevski (Queen's Champion)*
Heera Kerold Hoegaarten

*Flower of Chivalry*
Syr Jaxx

*King's Champion*
Jarl Hrothgar Monomach

*Royal Cartographer*
Madame Marie d'Acre

*Prioress of the Abby of St. Olga*
Reverend Mother Celine d'Hermain

*Royal Archer*
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*Royal Bard*
Arglwydd Baird ap Gruffyd

*Page*
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*The King's Men in Black*
Don Echevarian, Don Soren, Don Tryfinn, Don Ragno and Don Dio

## *FROM THEIR HIGHNESSES*

Unto the good people of the Outlands do TRH Syr Joseph Cameron and AnneAliz send greetings:

We would like to thank the people of Unser Hafen for hosting Crown Tournament, and a special thanks to the feast coordinator for an excellent feast.

It is Our greatest honor to serve Our Father Lycurgus' mighty Kingdom, known as the Outlands. We hope to better aquaint Ourselves with all those who inhabit Our Parents' realm. We ask you to share your experiences and ideas with Us (in person, mail, or e-mail), so that We can better serve Their Most Royal Majesties, Lycurgus and Mikhailina, and Their Kingdom.

Long Live the Kingdom of the Outlands!

So say We,

*Syr Joseph Cameron*
Crown Prince

*AnneAliz*
Crown Princess

## *FROM THE SENESCHAL*

Unto the good people of the Outlands, greetings from Maestra Francesca di Pavia, Kingdom Seneschal:

The busy tourney season is winding down at last! I trust all are ready for this month's "indoor tourney" - the Queen's Prize Arts and Sciences tournament!

I am looking for a gentle to fill a new position I would like to create - that of Deputy Kingdom Seneschal for Kingdom Events. This person will be responsible for soliciting bids for Crown Tournaments and Coronations, and will be the liaison between autocrats and the Crown (and Coronet) and Their households and the Kingdom officers to ensure that nothing is missed in planning the event, so that all will go smoothly on the day of the event. This person should have extensive experience in autocratting major events, especially Kingdom events, and should have strong planning and organizational skills, as well as a good ability to work with other people. Interested gentles are asked to send a letter of interest and an SCA resume to me at the address listed elsewhere in this issue (either U.S. mail or email is fine).

May your harvest be bountiful -

*Francesca*

Greetings Everyone.

I have recently received a number of complaints concerning incidents of excessive force with face thrusts given by fiberglass poles. These incidents happened at both Lilies and War of the Staked Plains. The information and complaints all came from out of kingdom, and much was forwarded to me from the Society Marshal. Marshals and members of the Chivalry, please talk to your local fighters about these problems and stress lightening up with the fiberglass poles. This is why there is a seperate authorization for fiberglass pole. The face on a helmet is considered to be OPEN, with only a light chain drape to protect against light cuts. We want to have good relations with our neighboring kingdoms and these problems are not helping. When fighting an opponenet, especially one from another kingdom, try a lighter face shot first. If they don't take it, then an increase in force is appropriate.

I was asked to make a ruling about a glaive as a mass weapon at Crown. I ruled that it had to hit with the blade, and not thee flat, in order to count as a valid blow even though a mass weapon. HRM Lycurgus asked that I research this in earlier Outlands standards to clarify this situation. After looking back through MANY years of conventions, standars, and rules, I stand by my decision. The rules state:

The 1994 edition of the Marshal's Handbook, Conventions of Combat of the SCA, INC. page 33, section III.A:

> Weapons shall be used in accordance with their design (i.e. spears may only be used for thrusting, axes for striking along the edge of the blade, et cetera).

Glaives are designed with blades, thus I interpret that to mean they are to strike with the blade, just like a sword.

Page 34, section IV, B.2:

> An effective blow from an axe, mace, pole arm, greatsword, or other mass weapon which lands on the hip above the hip socket, or strikes the shoulder inside the shoulder socket, shall be judged fatal or totally disabling.

An effective blow must have the blade properly oriented, thus a flat blow with a bladed mass weapon is NOT a good blow. This is why we mark our edges, don't allow haft shots, etc.

Fight safe and have fun.

*Sir Haroun Sir Haroun ibn al-Dhi'b al-Abyadh*

## *FROM THE MINISTER OF ARTS AND SCIENCES*

The Kingdom Arts & Sciences Collegium is only a month away! A tenative schedule has been included in this month's issue of the OH. The turn-out of instructors has been incredible this last month; thank you in advance to everyone who has volunteered. Alternate instructors are always needed, however, as conflicts will arise with people's schedules. As an alternate instructor you will be given, at a minimum, one week's notice if you will be asked to teach. These can be simpler classes, or perhaps one you have taught in the past. Classes on the art of fighting are also desparately needed. Please contact me if you are still interested in teaching.

If you have already volunteered to teach, please check the schedule to verify times, names and class titles. If anything is incorrect, please let me know soon.

Don't forget Queen's Prize Tourney this month in the Shire of Drygestan (Santa Fe, NM). Pre-registration should be sent to Countess Madigan of Kandahar: c/o Madigan Chandler, 415 Girard SE Apt. 1, Albuquerque, NM, 87106.

*Marie*

## *FROM THE CHRONICLER*

**Donations received!** In the last month, the Outlandish Herald has been the recipient of generosity from two groups. The Barony of al-Barran gave $48.22, which was the net income from their StagsCon South event. The Shire of Scorpions Hollow donated $50 of the proceeds from their Wars of the Staked Plains III event. For both groups, Hip Hip Huzzah!

This does, however, bring me indirectly to the less-cheery topic of publication policies for the OH. The financial realities of publishing the Outlandish Herald are becoming excessively clear to me. Each month, we spend between $150 and $250 more than is coming in from the Corporate and Kingdom stipends. Donations, fund-raisers, and advertising help, but have not been steady enough to staunch the flow. As the principle costs of publication are printing and postage, anything that can be done to reduce those should at least be considered. I believe I've done as much as I reasonably can on the actual production costs (other than perhaps convincing everyone to go to third class delivery). Several other Kingdoms have limits on event articles, and the Outlands has had such in the past. As such, I am going to try out a set of limits, with the intention of reducing the total volume of material to be printed.

Already, I hear cries about `what about all that cruft that nobody reads (contact info, officers' letters, etc)?' Well, much of the contact information is required to be published by Corporate. As they pay the bulk of the OH's expenses each month, it is reasonable that they have some say in what gets printed. As for the local contact information, officers' letters, and the occasional set of laws or rules, the Kingdom's stipend covers the relevant expenses. Again, to a great extent, they pay for it, they get it.

As for the items that aren't required, the only regular thing that could be considered optional is Warthaven, and it is my belief that too many people appreciate it to warrant not carrying it. Finally, the opinion page, random quotes, et cetera are only printed when I have an otherwise-blank space (e.g., three pages of a sheet are full, but I need to fill all four). Note that in the case of having one page of a sheet full, I'm much more likely to cut something than add three more pages worth.

An obvious conclusion to come out of the above is `so anybody that gives you money can get anything they want printed.' Although a logical thought, it is false. There are currently four sources of income for the OH: donations, Corporate stipend, Kingdom stipend, and advertisements. Donations are just that, donations. There is no return except a printed recognition (such as started this letter). The two stipends have very clearly defined strings attached to them, which take quite an effort to change. Advertisements also have clearly stated rules under which they are submitted, which are all the rules governing any other material published in a Kingdom newsletter, plus the caveat that they run on a space-available basis. So, I can and will only print those items which meet the publication requirements, no matter how much money is provided by any entity. Of course, I may print a note of appreciation for large, regular advertisers, such as Golden Age.

Enough of the justifications. After looking over quite a few articles, the basic categories I've found are: A&S Competitions, Collegiums, and Other.

A&S Competitions and Collegiums tend to need a fair amount of space to describe their rules and curricula. Most (admittedly not all) other events are some form of fighting tourney or a themed revel, which do not need much space until the month of the event. I've come up with the following article limits based on that and the observed average sizes:

**Article limitations:** No more than three articles will be printed for any one event. Out of Kingdom event articles are paid advertising.

In the months before the event:

Kingdom articles:

A&S 2 pages (3 once), Collegiums 1 page (2 once), Other 1/2 page (1 once)

Local articles:

A&S 1 page (2 once), Collegiums 1/2 page (1 once), Other 1/2 page (1 once)

In the issue published the month of the event:

Kingdom articles:

A&S 2 pages, Collegiums 2 pages, Other 2 pages

Local articles:

A&S 1 page, Collegiums 1 page, Other 1 page

The definition of the month of publication is the date printed on the cover, plus the first four days of the following month.

At the moment, the above limits are recommended, not absolutely required (but don't be surprised to be asked what can be trimmed out). If donation and fund-raiser income does not do well over the next few months, then the limits will become absolute, with additional space being available at cost in quarter-page increments.

Current direct (postage and printing) expenses are $80/sheet (there are 4 pages/sheet). To allow for inflation, vagaries of postage and printing costs, purchasing supplies and equipment (the staplers are in desperate need of replacement, for example), and so on, we have an effective cost of $100/sheet. Thus, the cost of a page is $25, and a quarter-page is $6.25.

There is, of course, the concern that a slightly different layout of an article will affect how much space it takes up, and thus whether or not it exceeds the allowed size. I will do my best to make everything fit before saying an article is over-sized. My goal is not increase the costs of holding events, but rather to decrease the cost of publishing the OH. Therefore, it is in my best interest to shrink an article to fit rather than to harass people about how big their articles are or charge them money.

Of course, the best way to avoid the hassles discussed above is for everyone to donate a little bit to the OH, preferably on a regular basis. I know of some individuals who quite willingly toss in $5 or $10 at any event they attend that the topic comes. I also know of others who have donated several hundred dollars at one time. For those that might consider the latter, I would point out that such donations are tax-deductible. Donations do not have to be in the form of money, either. There are various pieces of equipment we need that we can't afford (primarily good quality staplers, preferably automatic), that someone may have sitting around gathering dust. In any case, if you can afford to help, it can do nought but improve the newsletter for all.

In Service to the Kingdom of the Outlands, I remain,

*Rüdeger Günther Marenholtz*

## FROM THE ARCHER GENERAL

Greetings Archers! Lots of neat stuff to report!

**'Royal' Archers.** I've received many Royal Round scores and look forward to seeing many more tassels displayed this season. I am greatly encouraged by the number of our landed Royalty that are 'tasseled'. I sense an opportunity for a competition in this area, perhaps?

**New Deputy.** It pleases me greatly to announce that Lady Albreanna d'Kyme, CGP, has agreed to become my new 'drop-dead' deputy. As you may not know, Lord Morcar and his family have moved away from the Outlands (we will miss them). Effective immediately, please send reports and scores to Lady Albreanna, as she is willing to keep the records regarding Kingdom Rankings as well as a synopsis of group activities. (Thank You Lady A.) Also, al-Barran has just initiated a Baronial Archery award - Huzzah! Please write to Lady Albreanna for details c/o Donna L. Hicks, HCR 69 South 540 A, Moriarty NM 87035, email: Albreanna1@aol.com

**Grant of Arms for Archery?** There have been ongoing discussions for an Outlands GoA for Archery. This would provide GoA's in the same areas there are Kingdom Level AoA's. If I don't have your input by now, you may not get to have any! Send your specific feelings on requirements, etc. to me as soon as possible!

**Archery Handbooks.** By now you have very few reasons to NOT yet have one of the newest, revised Kingdom of the Outlands Target Archery Handbooks. They were distributed at both Stags Con events, Grand Outlandish, and Brigands Bizarre, and even on-line at: http://www.usa.net/~norseman/outlands/archer.html You can get there from the virtual library: http://www.usa.net/~norseman/outlands/outlands.html. For a hard copy, send me a SASE (9x12) with $2.50 postage (sorry, I don't set the rates). If you're at an event where Mlodn the Merchant is set up for business, you may get one from him for $3.00 (about the same as mailing a postage paid envelope to me). IKAC rules are included, and lots else. And speaking of...

**IKAC's.** While we are shooting more Royal Rounds and novelty shoots, very few IKAC scores are being shot (or at least reported). To help make this easier, you may send IKAC scores directly to Sir Jon c/o John R. Edgerton, 7662 Wells Avenue, Newark, CA 94560-3530., email: sirjon@netcom.com (provided that you send a copy in your activity report). IKAC's are a way to demonstrate our Archery prowess to the rest of the Knowne World, and encourage more Period competitions. Please help in this regard. Note: through July **no Outlands IKAC scores** had shown up in the Knowne World Standings - hopefully by the time you are reading this that situation will have been remedied.

**Activity Reports.** If the number of activity reports I am actually receiving is a true measure of the archery that is happening (which I thankfully know is **not** the case), I would be concerned. Please let me know that you are shooting (and help encourage Albreanna).

*Peregrine*

## *FROM THE EXECUTIVE ASSISTANT OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS*

Greetings to all who read these words from Andrew Smith (Duke Andrew of Riga), Executive Assistant to the Board of Directors.

The Third Quarter Meeting of the Board of Directors was held in Calgary, Canada, on Saturday, July 27, 1997. What follows is a brief summary of the highlights of that meeting.

**Status Changes:**

*New Branches*

Canton of Aston Tor (Western Lafayette, North Cass, and Jackson Counties, exclusive of Kansas City, KS)
Shire of Nebelward (Grafenwhr, Vilseck, and Hohenfels, Germany)
Shire of Kracken's Fjord (Vernon BC Canada)
Canton of Lionsdale (Hop & Chilliwack BC Canada)
Shire of Tri Os (Martin, and St. Lucie Counties, Florida)
Canton of Bacchus Wood (Loganlea QLD)
Shire of La Marche Sauvage (McAllen, TX)

*Routine Changes in Status*

Torre de Los Brazos, Shire to Canton (Bazzora County, TX)

**Equestrian Handbook:** The Board adopted the Equestrian Handbook dated July 7, 1997 as amended by the Board, with an effective date of February 1, 1998.

**Grand Council International Structure:** The Grand Council's proposal addressing the SCA's international structure was ordered to be distributed to all kingdom seneschals for dissemination to the membership. In addition, the proposal is to be made available at the SCA's web site on the Internet. The Board will consider this proposal at the January 1998 quarterly meeting.

**Barony of Allyshia:** The Barony of Allyshia, West Kingdom, was approved as a palatine barony.

**Crown Principalities:** Society Seneschal John Fulton reported it is unnecessary to amend the SCA's Governing Documents to accommodate Crown Principalities, as the issues of bank accounts and registration of arms, have been resolved with the Society Exchequer and Laurel Soverign of Arms.

**Alcohol Policy**: The use of any SCA funds for the purchase of potable alcohol, except for such quantities as may be necessary for cooking, is prohibited in the United States and its territories. The kingdoms have 60 days to implement this policy.

This is a modification of the motion passed at the April 1997 quarterly meeting. Any questions regarding this policy should be directed to Andrew Smith, Executive Assistant, or John Fulton, Society Seneschal.

**Atlantia Commission**: The Board rescinded the motion of October 20, 1995, which reads: "The Board wishes to advise TRM Cuan and Brigit of Atlantia that the reasons stated in the banishment of Fred Grundeman aka Fritz Justus Fritz were insufficient. However, the Board upholds the banishment from the realm on the basis of Mr. Grundeman's subsequent actions and the documentation of these actions provided to the Board in support of the banishment."

Further, the Board overturned the banishment from the realm of Fred Grundeman as imposed by TRM Cuan and Brigit of Atlantia on September 9, 1995, because the documentation provided for this banishment was inadequate.

**Establishing Next Meeting**: The October 1997 quarterly meeting will be held in Atlanta, Georgia (Kingdom of Meridies), on October 18, 1997. The deadline for submissions is October 1, 1997.

The January 1998 quarterly meeting will be held in Milpitas, California (Kingdom of the West), on January 17, 1998. The deadline for submissions is January 5, 1998.

## *FROM THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS*

**Board Soliciting Bids for Document Restructuring**

The Board of Directors would like to announce that the Governing Documents of the Society will be restructured. No significant changes are planned at this time; the restructuring will primarily separate the corporate parts of the documents from the "rules of the game" and fold the current G&PDs into the appropriate documents. Member comments will be invited on the rewritten documents before they are published. We are also planning to rewrite some of our procedures manuals at the same time -- the last revision of those documents was done in 1992.

We are soliciting bids for a writer/editor for this project. Spec sheets will be available from Lee Forgue, 2322 Russell Street, Berkeley CA 94705 after September 1. We would prefer that you request a spec sheet in writing. Written bids will be due by October 1. If you have any questions or comments, you can contact Lee at eilis@haas.berkeley.edu or at 510-486-0633 (home).

**New Nominee for the Board**

Keith MacInnesViscount David Morgan of Clai MorganCaiduntil January 2000

Any comments on this nominee or previously published nominees would be greatly appreciated by the Board of Directors. Also, any new nominations that you wish to make would also be gladly received. Remember that all information in these letters is considered confidential. Send all comments and nominations to Lee Forgue, Board Recruiting, 2322 Russell Street, Berkeley CA 94705. Please include your name and address in any letter sent concerning these matters, and remember to include the name and address of anyone you nominate for the Board.

## THE DREAD KING - A POEM

The new King has ascended the royal throne.
His face is a scowl; His fists gloved in stone.
Angrily He shifts His gaze around the room.
Few match His gaze, fearing His swift doom.
His voice cracks the air, cheerless and stern.
Petty vassals all jump lest they soon burn.
Tithes will be levied; strong laws will rule.
He marshals His power, each move thought through.
His scepter, a mace; His sword swift and true;
The people are warned He must be obeyed.
His Justice, like His sword, cannot be stayed.
Yet fortune has smiled on the kingdom and lands.
For our Queen is good and rules with fair hands.
She tempers His strength with kindness and grace.
Our kingdom is virtuous with our Queen in Her place.

Padraic of Grandview
June 9, AS XXXII (1997)

## QUEENS PRIZE TOURNAMENT

*Drygestan, September 13, AS XXXII (1997)*

Populace of the Outlands draw near! The Greatest Queens Prize Tourney the Outlands has yet known is soon to be held in the Grand Shire of Drygestan. King Lycurgus and Queen Mikhailina anticipate seeing the faces of the populace alit with the joy of the arts and sciences.

The site will open at 9:00 a.m. Mandatory check-in of BOTH sponsors and entrants will be held from 9:00 to 10:30 a.m., at which time the tourney will begin. Bring your tokens and prizes!!!

There will be a special section for artisans 16 years and younger so that they might profit from the assembled artisans as well as add to the enthusiasm of the day's festivities. If you are a sponsor of someone in this category please let Madigan know a.s.a.p.

There is no official feast, but there will be a post-revel and Barbecue after the day's events. Maps and details will be provided on site.

**Directions** from I-25 take the St. Francis Drive exit (Highway 285 N.) and follow St. Francis Drive to the third stop light, which is the St. Michael's Drive turn-off. Turn left (roughly west) and proceed approximately one mile to the College of Santa Fe sign on the left. From here follow the SCA signs to the hall.

**Site fee** will be $5 for adults, and those 12 years and under will be free. The site is dry. There are many local eating establishments very close to the site, as well as hotel accommodations. Call the Site Coordinator for more information.

Official registration has ended and only really special cases will be considered for late entry because of the judging system in progress. If you have a special need contact the Autocrat for possible leniency.

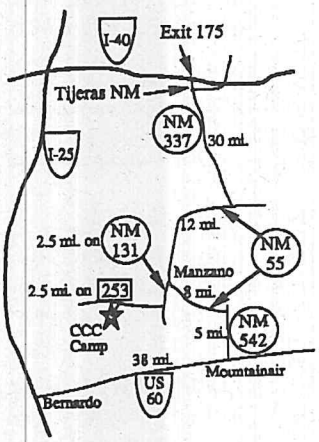
**Autocrat**: Countess Madigan of Kandahar (Madigan Chandler), 415 Girard SE Apt. 1, Albuquerque NM, 87106, (505) 260-0325

**Site Coordinator**: Lady Etain of Durham (Corie Conwell), 1402 Maclovia #D, Santa Fe NM 87505, (505) 438-0779

## *CHAMPIONS OF AL-BARRAN*

### *al-Barran, September 19-21, AS XXXII (1997)*

At the command of the Right Honorable Kragon and Sarah, Baron and Baroness of al-Barran, His Lordship, The Honorable Lord Martino Michel Venerri, Champion and Master Swordsman of al-Barran, sends greetings and invitations to all good people for the Champions of al-Barran event.




Once again there shall be no site fee for this event in order to recompense the populace of the Outlands for all their help and dedication to al-Barran throughout the year. The event will begin Friday afternoon, with the Champion of al-Barran and Protector of the Baroness' heart tournaments on Saturday. In order to be acceptable to Their Excellencies, Sir Kragon and Mistress Sarah, to compete in the Champion and Protector tournaments you must be a member of the Society and you must subscribe to the Shaft. In addition each entrant must see the Baroness before the tournament to receive a brief quest that must be completed before the lists. The style for each of the Lists will be determined at the site. After the Champion lists the Protector of the Baroness' heart tournament will begin. Melees will follow for the rest of the afternoon. The Bard of al-Barran competition will begin Saturday night at dusk. Lord Pendar the Bard will run the competition. Their Excellencies have asked that there be no loud noises such as cannon fire or drumming on Saturday night so as not to disturb the bardic. As of this printing contained fires will be allowed. Please bring a fire extinguisher if you plan to have a fire. The Master Swordsman of al-Barran tournament will begin around ten o'clock Sunday morning. Duke Johann and the current Master Swordsman will defend their titles against all comers in a single sword tournament. Following this there will be an archery tournament to determine the Archer of al-Barran. After that there will be melees, until it is time to go home. The site closes at dark on Sunday.

The event will be held at the same site as last year, the CCC camp just south of Manzano, NM. Please see the map for directions to the site. The site is wet, but please use period containers. There will be no feast.

**Tentative Schedule:**

Friday:

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| 3PM | Site Opens |
| Evening | Entrants see Mistress Sarah for quests |

Saturday:

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| 9AM | Lists Open |
| 10AM | Opening Court |
| 11AM | Champion of al-Barran Tournament |
| 2PM | Protector of the Baroness' Heart Tournament; Melees |
| Dark | Bard of al-Barran Competition |

Sunday:

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| 10AM | Master Swordsman Tournament |
| 1PM | Archer of al-Barran Tournament |
| After | Closing Court |
| Dark | Site Closes |

Autocrat: THL Martino Michel Venneri (Mike Venerra), 1304 Kentucky NE, Albuquerque NM 87110, (505) 471-6571

## *CAERTHEN WARLORD TOURNAMENT*

*Caerthe, September 20, AS XXXII (1997)*

Gather great warriors and citizens of the grand Outlands to the tourney to determine the new general of the Caerthen Army. Gather near good gentles, for the next Warlord, Premier Blade, and Archery Warden will spring forth from the lists to claim their right to defend the magnificent Barony of Caerthe. This grand tradition will be held on the 20th day of September in Bear Creek Lake Park.

The site opens at 8:00 am and closes at 5:00 pm, and is dry. Opening court will be at 10:00 am and the tournaments will begin shortly after court. There will be a $3.00 gate fee charged by the Colorado State Parks. There will also be a short lunch auction after the conclusion of the Warlord tourney. The amount of lunches to be auctioned is directly related to the number of people who prepare a lunch to be auctioned. If you would like to prepare a lunch for two to be auctioned off, please do so. If your bid is the highest bid for a lunch, you may dine with the preparer of their culinary delight. For more information, please contact the autocrat. Note that those with food allergies would best be served by bringing their own meals, just in case.

Fighters please remember this is a multiple weapons style tourney; bring all your toys!

**Directions from the north:** Take I-70 west to C-470 south to Hwy 8, also called the Morrison Road Exit. Then go 1/4 mile east, the entrance is on the south side of the road (on your right).

**Directions from the south:** Take I-25 to C-470 north (towards the mountains) to Hwy 8, which is the Morrison Road Exit. Go east 1/4 mile, the entrance is on the south side of the road (right side).

**Autocrat:** Lord Kerold Hoegaarden (Todd White), 7307 "D" S. Xenia Circle, Englewood, CO 80112, (303) 740-0974, twhite@dnvr.uswest.net

## CHALLENGE OF THE SANDS

*Kahlland, September 26-28, AS XXXII (1997)*

Here it is, that time of year when the wild horde of mundania threatens to overcome us all. Escape the horde and answer Kahlland's call for a Champion. Warriors will test their mettle against not only fellow warriors but against the Sands of Time to determine our new Champion. There will be many activities for archers and fencers as well. For those talented in the arts we plan an Arts & Sciences display with workshops. There will be an arrow making and/or chain mail class given by Lord Vladimir. A spinning class and a weaving class will be given by Lady Rose Owyne. Mistress Monika von Zell will do a workshop on herbalism. Others with skills to share please contact the Autocrat. There will be a prize given for the most period campsite and as always the joust. Our Stable Master, Lord Oscar, promises that White Lightning will be fit to fight despite serious past injuries. Children's activities include archery, board games, and a play. Grace and Bennet will provide hot drinks for weary travelers Friday night, a side board breakfast and lunch Saturday, as well as the feast Saturday night.

**Amenities & Restrictions:** This wonderful site has shade, bathrooms, and showers. It is a dry site and pets must be leashed. Torches, candles, and camp stoves are allowed but no ground fires. RV hook-ups are available for an additional charge.

The site opens Friday at 5 PM and closes Sunday at 2 PM.

**Site fee & meals:** $12 for adult members; $6 for 13-17 year olds; free for children 12 and under. There will be a $3.00 non-member fee in addition to the site fee. There are no other fee breakdowns. Checks should be made to "SCA-Kahlland". Reservations are not necessary but may be sent to either the Chef de Cuisine or the Autocrat. A tentative menu is listed below:

**Side-board Breakfast:** empanadas, croissants, boiled eggs, cheeses, fruits, coffee.

**Side-board Lunch:** cold meats, stew, cheeses, rolls.

**Feast Saturday night:** roast meats with sauce, breads & cheeses, green beans, fruits, and cakes.

**Directions:** The site is Harry McAdams Park located 5 (five) miles north of Hobbs, NM on the Hobbs/Lovington Highway (NM 18).

**Autocrat:** Lord Vladimir Golitsyn (Brad Jett), 1313 Gila, Hobbs NM 88240, (505) 393-8571, email: vladimir@friendly.carlsbadnm.com

**Chef de Cuisine:** THL Bennet Murray (Beverly Snodgrass), 1801 E. Highland Dr., Hobbs NM 88240, (505) 392-3546, email: bsnodgrass@leaconet.com

**Chef de Cuisine:** Lady Grace Childes (Penny Phillips), WSR 741A, Lovington NM 88260, (505) 396-6532

*Caer Galen, September 27, AS XXXII (1997)*

Come one and all to celebrate the coming of harvest in the fine Shire of Caer Galen! Western Dance and music, fun and frivolity will be the focus of this event, with a wide assortment of Dance classes in the day and a Dance Ball in the evening.

Classes in many styles of period dance will be taught by a wide variety of teachers, both foreign and domestic. Master Giles of Caid will be a guest instructor, teaching classes on both Beginning and Intermediate Italian, and Intermediate and Advanced English Country. Pavans, Basse, and Galliards will also be the subject of classes, as well as gentility and etiquette. We have something for all levels of participants, from beginners to the most jaded of dancers. A buffet of light foods and desserts shall be provided throughout the day.

The Shire of Caer Galen shall be holding this joyous ball on Saturday, September 27th, at the Chautauqua Community Hall, 900 Baseline Road in Boulder, CO.

**Directions from the North**: Take I-25 south to the Hwy 119 Exit. Take 119 to Boulder, then take Foothills Parkway (Hwy 157) south to Baseline Road. Turn right and go west on Baseline approximately 3 miles to the Chautauqua Park Entrance (sign on the left side of the road). Turn left into the park and follow the signs to the community house.

**Directions from the South**: Take I-25 north to I-36 west to Boulder. Exit off of I-36 at the Baseline Road exit, turn left. Go west on Baseline approximately 3 miles to the Chautauqua Park Entrance (sign on the left side of the road). Turn left into the park and follow the signs to the community house.

Two separate classes will be taking place at any one time. These are:

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| 9AM | Site opens | |
| 10AM | Beginning Italian Court | Bransles |
| 11AM | Italian Court Continued | Basic English Country |
| 12PM | Lunch Break | |
| 1PM | Advanced English Country | Pavanes/Allemandes |
| 2PM | Advanced English Continued | 4 Dances of the Apocalypse |
| 3PM | Galliards | Basse Dance |
| 4PM | Gentility and Deportment | Basse Continued |
| 7PM | Ball | |
| 10PM | Site closes | |

The site fee is $9.00 which also includes lunch and dessert revel. Gentles who attend the Unser Hafen Equestrian event that day are welcome to join us later, and pay a site fee of $7.00. This site is **extremely dry! Absolutely No Alcohol is allowed on site.** Reservations may be sent to the Autocrat, with checks made payable to: SCA - Caer Galen.

**Autocrat**: Herr Klaus von Nachtwald (Karl Hiesterman), 1065 Iris St., Broomfield, CO 80020, (303) 438-8513, email: klaussca@aol.com

**Cook:** Countess Berengaria de Montfort de Carcassonne (Jeanne Stapleton), 266 Hoover, Louisville, CO 80027, (303) 661-9682

*Unser Hafen, September 27-28, AS XXXII (1997)*

Ali and his faithful steed Mai-Mun have been captured by a hostile band of marauders! Come and watch the Equestrian Guild as we demonstrate mounted skills by rescuing Ali and Mai-Mun. Our annual Championship on Saturday will feature the combined competition with an Arabian theme, so come cheer for your favorites. An IKEqC event is also scheduled, as well as many other riding opportunities.

A fabulous midday lunch is planned on Saturday, possibly middle eastern, and is included with your site fee. Sunday's meal will be a donation lunch.

We will also be featuring stick horse making on site, as well as stick horse competitions for the young and the young at heart. We will also have a stick horse fencing competition as well. Children's activities are planned all day, including making favors for the competitors and a coloring contest.

We are having an Equestrian themed Arts and Sciences competition on Saturday, too. The Categories are as follows:

1. Barding (any period, any style, if being worn please have a photo)

2. Tack and other horse equipment (bits, shoes, nails, tack, etc.)

3. Horse used as decoration (scrolls, fabric design, metalwork, etc.)

4. Equestrian Bardic–to be performed for the court during lunch.

5. Miscellaneous--anything else relating to horses (papers should be submitted 2 weeks ahead of time to Lady Amice)

A. Stick Horse (for fun, no documentation req, popular vote), with both Pre-Made and Made-on-site categories

Judging will be round-robin style, with 3 entries required per category. Categories will be split or combined as needed. One-half to three pages of documentation is required.

Sunday will feature a collegium incorporating various equestrian talks and hands-on demonstrations.

Saturday:

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| 9AM | Site opens |
| 10AM | Opening Court and Parade of Entrants |
| 11AM | IKEqC Competition |
| | A & S Competition judging begins |
| Noon | LUNCH |
| | Bardic competitions |
| | Children's Stick Horse Competition |
| 1PM | Equestrian Championship Competition |
| 2PM | Senior Stick Horse Competition (lawn) |
| 2PM | Stick Horse Fencing Tournament |
| 3PM | Mounted Archery & Spear throw |
| 4PM | Closing Court |
| 7PM | Caer Galen Harvest Ball |

Sunday

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| 9AM | Site opens |
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| 10AM | Lectures and practicals (hands-on) |
| Noon | Lunch (donation) |
| 1PM | Lectures and practicals |
| 3PM | Site closes |

**Site Fees:**

$5.00 if paid before 9-13-97 (includes lunch on Sat.)
$6.00 if after 9-14-97 (includes lunch on Sat.)
$2.00 additional per rider
$1.00 Sunday only site fee, payable at the door

If you are on the guest list for Caer Galen's Harvest Ball, we will discount our site fee by $1.00. Make checks payable to SCA-Unser Hafen, and mail to Regan.

Riders and horse owners should telephone Lady Jobita before September 13, so that she can organize the correct extra paperwork for you. You must be a paid SCA member to ride at this event. There is a $2 surcharge for riders. Stalls may be available.

**Site:** C.S.U. Equine Center in Fort Collins, CO. We should have the entire complex for the event. This is a bone dry site. No pets allowed. Smoking in designated areas only. Most of the site is wheelchair accessible.

**Directions:** Take I-25 to Exit 268, Prospect Road. Turn West onto Prospect (toward the mountains) and stay on road for just over 7 miles (seems longer). At the dead-end, make a Right turn onto Overland Trail. Go North for 0.6 miles, to the entrance into the C.S.U. Equine Center on the Left (big white and green sign). Troll will be in the large brick arena to the North of the parking lot. Please park on the asphalt.

**Autocrat:** Lady Jobita bint Omar (Kari Fadness), 1523 Lindenwood Dr., Ft. Collins, CO 80502, (970) 484-4609, e-mail: kfadnes@holly.colostate.edu

**Autocrat:** Regan Davis (Peggy O'Keefe), P.O. Box 111645, Aurora, CO 80042, (303) 366-3292 or (303) 344-0600

**A&S Coordinator:** Lady Amice Fayel (Patty Chapman), 1920 2nd St., Greeley, CO 80631, (970) 352-3265

**Feast Coordinator:** Jeanne-Marie (Jeanne Beaulieu) 515 Del Clair Rd., Ft. Collins, CO 80525, (970) 225-2264

## *ROLLING THUNDER DRUM TOURNEY AND TWENTIETH BIRTHDAY BASH*

*al-Barran, September 27-28, AS XXXII (1997)*

Come join us at the Experimental Site (old Outlandish site) in Tijeras, New Mexico, for a weekend of fighting, drumming, and dancing. The site will open at 4PM on Friday, September 26, and close at 4PM on Sunday, September 28.

Activities will include, but are not limited to: Heavy and light tourneys; knife, ax, and spear throws; archery melees (and some fun shoots); juggling contest; furry belly contest;

and as much drumming and dancing as can be done in 48 hours. Remember, there will be No Quiet Time! Come celebrate our 20 years in the SCA with us.

**Fees** $8 site fee (includes Saturday night feast), $4 for children twelve and under, family cost limited to $20. Day-tripping is $3/day (does not include feast). Make checks payable to SCA - al-Barran.

**Site information:** All mundane Forest Service regulations will apply. Pets on leashes only, leashes must be attached to a human, tree, or other stable entity. The site is discreetly wet. Fire restrictions will be announced at the time of the event.

**Directions:** Take Interstate 40 to exit 175 (Tijeras). Go south on NM 337 (old South 14) 1.2 miles to Chamisoso Canyon Rd (Forest Rd 462). Turn left onto the dirt road and follow it .8 miles to the end. Just keep going until you get to the troll.

**Autocrat:** Duchess Elisheva (Corinne Dowd), 8517 Marquette NE, Apt N, Albuquerque, NM 87108, (505) 268-3633, email c/o HRH AnneAliz, dgr0dm@unm.edu

## *SACK OF THE CITY II*

### *Nahrun Kabirun, October 3-5, AS XXXII (1997)*

The city has lain vacant for a year. Now, with rumors of hidden treasure, it's a race! You and your condotierre, picked men all, have arrived at the deserted city. But spies tell you that a rival is in the city as well. How did that happen?!? Ah well, you give the orders to your men. Hunt down the interlopers and find the treasure before they do. A bloody fight in the streets and alleys is in the offing, but the reward has your dogs of war straining at the lead. Cry "Havoc!"

The shires of Nahrun Kabirun and Loch Thioram are hosting Sack of the City once again. Forget the hay bales. Remember the battle in the rocks from "Conan the Barbarian"? That is the setting for this battle. The palce is the City of the Rocks State Park, NM. The site will open on Friday at 5:00 p.m. On Saturday starting at 10:00 a.m., two heavy armies will fight it out in a 2-hour resurrection battle, with combat archery allowed. The shires will provide the "native" guides for the two forces. After lunch, those fighters still up to combat will have a team mad mother. Put together your own team of up to five fighters, including archers, and see who's left at the end. Saturday evening will have a bardic competition around the bonfire. On Sunday again at 10:00 a.m., the rapier combatants will take to the city for a 2-hour resurrection duel between the Montagues and the Capulets. Afterwards, they too will have a team mad mother, though without combat archery. There will also be tournaments for both on the days that they are not in the city. An archery competition and Arts & Sciences competition are also being planned.

The site has a few showers, bathrooms of both types, picnic tables and fixed grills. The site is wet. There is also the Faywood Hot Springs 2 miles from the site. **The cost for the weekend** is $13 for adult members, half price for children. There is a member discount of $3. **To get there** take your best route to either Deming or Silver City, NM. From Deming go north on NM 180. From Silver City go south on NM 180. Take NM 180 to NM 61 and turn east. On NM 61 go approximately 2 miles to the park road and turn north. Follow the signs.

**AUTOCRAT:** The Hon. Lord Christian St. Claire (Bill Bloch), 439 Linda Vista Rd., Las Cruces, NM 88005, (505) 526-1590; e-mail: whtescrf@acca.nmsu.edu

**CO-AUTOCRAT:** Lord James David de Argentius (Jim Doyle), Box 2293, Silver City, NM 88062, (505) 388-9209

*Caerthe, October 11-12, AS XXXII (1997)*

It is once again time for the good gentles of our glorious Kingdom to assemble and share their knowledge and talents. The Kingdom of the Outlands Arts and Sciences Collegium is at hand. A vast array of topics await those who gather in Caerthe to share interests, ideas, and methods. Discover the incredible expanse of talent the Outlands is blessed with. Allow yourself to enjoy the entire spectrum of creativity this event offers.

Her Ladyship, Marie D'Acre, is organizing a great variety of instructors. Classes will begin at 9 a.m.. through 4 p.m. with a lunch break. Plans call for 6 classes to be in process at all times. Some will be workshop style. Challenge and variety await you.

To accept the offerings of our talented instructors, travel to Schola Metallorum (Colorado School of Mines, Golden, Colorado) from 9 a.m. to 11 p.m. on Saturday and 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. on Sunday. This is a dry site.

For $2.00 you will partake in a lunch prepared by Her Excellency, Baroness Leonora. In the evening, you are invited to feast upon the grand banquet prepared by Lady Meghan and her able assistant chefs. Lady Meghan is planning on serving Bread, Soft Herb Cheese, Butters, Lentil and Barley Soup, Roasted Pig with Three Sauces, Spiced Applesauce, Mushrooms Alexander, Pickled Eggs, Spinach Tarts, Lemon Rice. (Menu subject to change.) Finishing off the feast will be a sampling of desserts by Lord Iain. Feast is limited to 125 people, send your reservations early.

**Fees:** Site $3.00; lunch $2.00; feast $6.00 for adults, $3.50 for under 13, free for 5 and under. Send reservations to Lady Marguerite. Checks must be payable to: SCA-Caerthe, and please include all SCA names, legal names, and the ages of any children.

**Directions:** From I-25 take highway 6 west to 19th street in Golden turn right on 19th. Go east to Illinois, turn left. Go three blocks to 16th, turn right. The building will be on your immediate right and parking will be at the east end of the building. There will be signs (and portents) at 19th, Illinois and 16th.

**Instructors:** please contact THLady Marie D'Acre (Vanya Lambert) at (303) 666-7066, as soon as possible to register your class.

**Autocrat:** THLady Gabrielle Cartier, Cheryl Baker, 1645 Valentia, Denver, CO 80220, (303) 394-4003

**Chef de Cuisine (Lunch):** Baroness Leonora Kathryn de Provence (Sheron Buchele), 7743 W. 1st Street, Loveland CO 80537, (970) 669-3835.

**Chef de Cuisine (Feast):** Lady Meghan Ruadh nic Guinne (Amy Wilson),864 South Pecos St., Denver CO 80223, (303) 727-9709

**Crash Space Contact:** THLady Wyndylyn (Jean Hortman), (303) 680-1583, email: tjhortman@earthlink.net

**Reservations:** Lady Marguerite d'Isere, c/o Pearl Marquez, 1604 S. Raleigh St., Denver CO 80219, (303) 937-7318

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| 0900-0950 | Beading Late Period Clothing - Caterina Fregeso | Bardic Theory - Caelte Caitchairn | Historic Soapmaking - Gwynth Maeve | Beladi for the Terminally Shy - Brianna | Period Book Binding - Killian | Simple Tool Making - Tamlene ap Guidgen |
| 1000-1050 | Celtic Knotwork Split Stitch - Isabeau d'Avignon | Theory Continued | Soapmaking Continued | Middle Eastern History - Rashiqah bint Azhar | Book Binding Continued | Simple Tools Continued |
| 1100-1150 | Italian Renaissance Clothing - Francesca di Pavia | Reading Music - Genevieve | Brewing With & Without Spirits - Sara Baeuchamp | Period Baladi Costuming - Jade | Beginning Stained Glass - Aurora | Knife Handles - Robert Edward Stweart |
| 1200-1250 | Period Couching - Caterina Fregeso | Learn to Sing 'Ce Rondlet' - Marguerite d'Isere | The Making of Period Sauces - Berengaria | Middle Eastern Coats - Elizabeth O'Byrnne | Calligraphy & Illumination Techniques - Random de Lay | Sandcasting Medallions - Rhys |
| 1300-1350 | Beginning Documentation - HRM Mikhailina | Courtliness in Dance - Klaus von Nachtwald | Medicinal Use of Medieval Herbs - Leonora Kathryn | Decorating Middle Eastern Clothing - Rashiqah bint Azhar | Renaissance Painting Techniques - Sarah de Montgomerie | Period Metal Etching - Lillian Claire |
| 1400-1450 | Period Fabric Buttons - Isabeau d'Avignon | Courtly Graces and Manners - Rosalind of Wellmark | Cooking with Flowers - Berengaria | Middle Eastern Drums and Percussion - Sylvanus the Drummer | Cheap and Dirty Calligraphy & Illumination Tricks - Sadhbh ni Donnabdnain | Mercenaries from Antiquity to the Renaissance - Jester of Anglesea |
| 1500-1550 | An Overview of Period Dyes - Gwynth Maeve | History of Ceramics - Keridwen | Arrow Shaft Construction - Thorfinn Greybeard | Middle Eastern Drums Continued | All That Glitters is Not Gold - Killian | Roman History - Titus |
| 1600-1650 | Soft Sided Sporran - Fekete Hollo Noemi | Period Tent Sources - Madigan of Kandahar | Period Fletching - Thorfinn Greybeard | Middle Eastern Dance - Jannah an-Nur al-Ghabi | Making Money at Your Event - Aldyth Trefaldwyn | History of the Stirrup - Dirik Reverson |
| 1700-1750 | Sporrans Continued | Period Tent Construction - Madigan of Kandahar | Period Bow Construction - Thorfinn Greybeard | Middle Eastern Dance Continued | Making Money Continued | The Pas d'Arms - Jalut Gaston |

*Caer Mithin Halle, October 17-19, AS XXXII (1*

Once again the Shire of Caer Mithin Halle must defend their lands ag
we do send runners throughout our grand Kingdom for our brotl
defend our townsfolk. The scouts have informed us that the raid w
Rocking M Ranch on October 17-19. The gate opens at 5PM Friday and
day. Be prepared for great fighting, good food, and even better fun.

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**Tournaments**

Saturday

Heavy Weapons - the prize is a short sword

Archery - the prize is a bow case

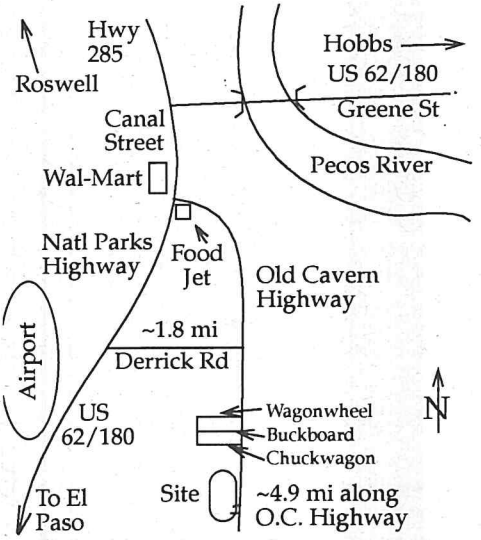
Sunday

Fencing - the prize is a schlager-bladed rapier

General

There will be many, many activities for children!

**Fees**: site $5, feast $7, 12 and under 1/2 price, 6 and under free. Family rates available on request. Prepaid reservations received by **October 1** will be entered into a raffle for one ounce of silver. Final cutoff for reservations is October 10. Please make checks payable to SCA-Caer Mithin Halle.




**Merchants Welcome**: There will be no merchant fee, and no booth size restrictions. Receive one free site fee with proof of a business license.

**Workshop/class instructors wanted, please contact the autocrats.**

The site is discreetly wet (period containers only). A schedule of events, feast menu, and feast ingredients will be posted at the site. Please advise the autocrats of any dietary restrictions or allergies. Vegetarian foods will be available.

**Directions from the north, west, and east**: Make your best way to the corner of Greene and Canal Streets in Carlsbad, NM. Proceed south on Canal Street to Old Cavern Highway (the fourth traffic light). Turn left (east) on Old Cavern Highway and go approximately 4.9 miles. You'll pass the streets Wagon Wheel, Buckboard, and Chuckwagon, and the site will be on the right side of the road immediately afterwards.

**...om the south:** On the National Parks Highway (aka US 62, US 180), turn left ... Road (across from the airport). Go approximately 1.8 miles to Old Cavern ... Turn right (south) and you'll (eventually) pass the streets Wagon Wheel, Buck... and Chuckwagon; the site will be on the right side of the road immediately after...

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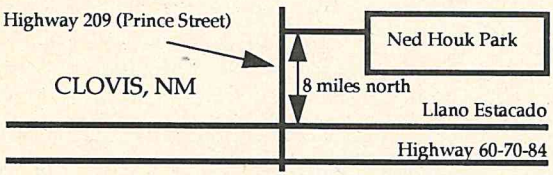
## *HOB GOBLIN'S HAUNT*

### *Scorpions Hollow, October 24-26, AS XXXII (1997)*

The Mean Nasty One has been seen lurking within the shire walls while gentles and young ones sleep soundly in their beds. He grows bolder with every moon rise. To arms ye battle bred! Yet, he grows careless, and the secret of the Quest will be his undoing.

In joyous celebration of the victory I know will be ours, there will be a bardic (one for children and one for adults); theme appropriate to Samhain if possible. Also, for those in good standing with Lord and Lady Luck, there will be a gaming pavilion.




The site opens at 5 p.m. on the 24th of October at 5 p.m. and will close on the 26th at 11 a.m. All folks are welcome to play, no matter where they are from in the Known World. The site is located at Ned Houk Park (see map) in Portales, NM. Site fee is $7.00 ($4.00 to play and $3.00 to feast). Children 17-13 yoa are half price and under 13 yoa are free. There is water on site, a few bbq grills, **no ground fires.** Pets are welcome, however, they must be leashed and attached to the owner or a tree or a pole or some other fixed structure. Pets are ultimately the responsibility of their owners. This site is discreetly wet (period containers only).

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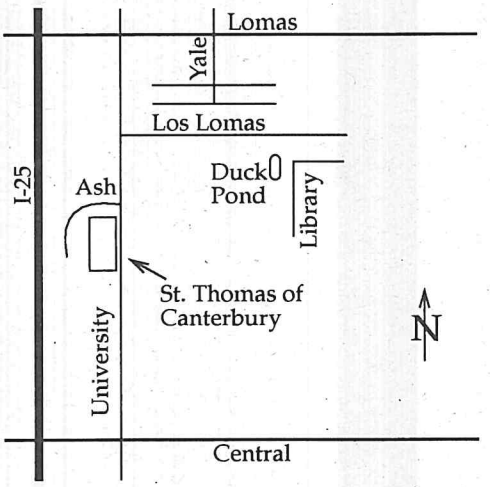
## *CELTIC NEW YEAR*

### *al-Barran, October 25, AS XXXII (1997)*

Fear not as you feel the first frosty fingers of fall chill your neck, nor as you hear the tread of ghostly footsteps following you on this All Hallow's Eve. Come share the hosptiality of al-Barran as we celebrate Celtic New Year. Dress in your finest early-period garb as we offer fighter and non-fighter chance after chance to cheat death, both on the field and off. The festivities will be held at the University of New Mexico Duck Pond and the St. Thomas of Canterbury Episcopal Church in Albuquerque, New Mexico on October 25, 1997.

Fighters, both heavy and light, listen for the wail of the banshee as you prepare yourself for best death and bereavement tourneys, torch tourneys, resurrection melees, and, for those authorized in both heavy and light, a cross-over tourney. Be warned, no one will be authorized on the day of the cross-over tourney - do so early, and hone your skills until then. For the young and the young at heart, we will have boffers and Slay the Dragon. For the non-fighters, there will be hunkerhausen at the Duck Pond and, during the day, the solarium at the feast hall will be open for boardgames, cards, and conversation. At dusk, gather at St. Thomas of Canterbury Church hall to enjoy a hearty feast, be entertained by our bards, and afterwards join in the Masked Revel and dance the night away. Court will be at Their Majesties' and Their Excellencies' desire through out the day.

**The feast menu will include**: breads, cheeses, flavored honeys and butters, smoked eggs, broth of thyme, salad, roasted chicken, barley pilaf, stewed apples and bogberries, roast beef, roasted winter vegetables, honey cakes, sweet oat cakes, fruit, and nuts. Each course has one dish for the strict vegetarian. Those who are food-sensitive are encouraged to contact the feast coordinator regarding menu or ingredients.




**Directions**: Tournament site: Take your best route to Interstate 25 and Lomas. Go east on Lomas to University. Head south (right) on University to the first traffic light. Turn east (left) onto Los Lomas; after several blocks the Duck Pond will be off to the right. There is construction in the area, so be wary of detours. Feast Hall: The St. Thomas of Canterbury Church Parish Hall is at 425 University Boulevard, and easily reached from the Duck Pond.

Prepare yourselves, as prizes shall abound for tournaments, games, and best mask at the Masked Revel. All this and quite possibly more will be at your disposal in beautiful al-Barran in the fall.

**Fees**: There is no site fee for the Duck Pond. Feast fee is $7/adult, $4/children under 12. There is no site fee for the church during the day, there is a $3 site fee if only attending the Masked Ball. Make checks payable to SCA - al-Barran. Reservations will be accepted up until the day of the event.

**Site Information**: The Duck Pond is absolutely bone-dry as regards alcohol, and pets must be on leashes. The Parish Hall is discreetly wet, and no pets are allowed.

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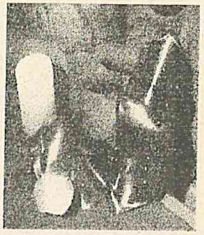

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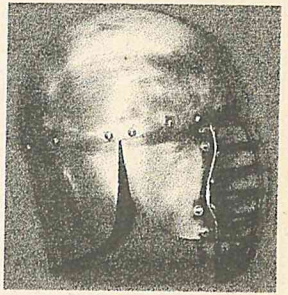

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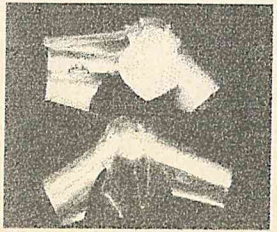

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**Fighter Practice**: Contact Seneschal
**Archery practice**: 6:00 p.m. Tuesdays at old Roswell airport. Contact Seneschal
*The Oakleaf*: Quarterly, $4.00 Lord Wolfangus Mhic-Mairghdhin (David Martin), 16 "B" St., Roswell NM 88201, (505) 347-5781

**Hawks Hollow** — **Canton of Caerthe**

*Westminster/Thornton/Commerce City, CO*

**Seneschal**: Lady Caelainn ingen Muiredaig (Kristen Murray-Todd), 7161 E. 67th Place, Commerce City CO 80022, (303) 287-6963, send email to: kristenm@ile.com
**Fighter Practice**: practice will be held at Caerthe's. Please refer to Baronial listing.
**Archery Practice**: Contact Seneschal

**Hinterland** — **Shire**

*Scottsbluff/Gering, NE*

**Seneschal**: Lady Sorcha ni Ghlais (Mary Wise), 1733 East "C" Street, Torrington, WY 82240, (307) 532-3917
**Fighter Practice**: Gering National Guard Armory in winter, Pioneer Park in Scottsbluff in summar. Practice starts at 6pm. Contact Lord Restald, (308) 632-5387
**Archery Practice**: 6:00 Thursdays, behind Gering High School. Contact: Jan (308) 632-5565
*The Scroll* $8 per year, Lady Caelainn ni Cynric mac Naughton (Judy Schnell), 1830 Ave. G, Scottsbluff NE 69361, (308) 632-5565

**Kahlland** — **Shire**

*Hobbs, NM*

**Seneschal**: THL Bennet Murray (Beverly Snodgrass), 1801 E. Highland, Hobbs NM, 88240, (505) 392-3546, e-mail: bsnodgrass@leaconet.com
**Archery Practice**: Contact Lord Vladimir Golitsyn (Brad Jett), 1313 Gila, Hobbs NM 88240, (505) 393-8571, e-mail: vladimir@friendly.carlsbadnm.com
*The Rune Werk* produced occasionally by the Seneschal for free

**Loch Thioram** — **Shire**

*Deming and Silver City, NM*

**Seneschal**: Lady Rajani Vahanna (Pat Doyle), 311 North Bayard, Silver City, NM 88061, (505) 538-5979.

**Nahrun Kabirun** — **Shire**

*Las Cruces, NM*

**Seneschal**: Lady Drucilla (Dina Hursh), 2903 Devendale, Las Cruces NM 88005, (505) 523-1347, email: dina5@juno.com.
**Fighter Practice**: 1 p.m. Sundays. Fencing practice 6:30 p.m. Wednesdays. Both at the east end of east of Corbett Center, NMSU

**Northwolde** — **Incipient Shire**

**Seneschal:** Liadain ni Mhordha (Tracy Thallas), 56 Moran Ranch Road, Rozet, WY 82727, (307) 686-1254, email: hardcorps@vcn.com

**Plattefordham** — **Shire**

*Casper, WY*

**Seneschal**: Lady Mavis Reynebaud of Falconskeep (Joy Marsh), 2571 S. Jefferson Apt D, Casper WY 82601, (307) 237-1795, jmarsh@trib.com
**Fighter Practice:** Held in Mike Cedar Park. Contact the seneschal for more information.
*Soothsayer* 6/year if mailed, $3 local. Lady Mavis Reynebaud of Falconskeep (Joy Marsh), 2571 S. Jefferson Apt D, Casper WY 82601, (307) 237-1795

**Rio de las Animas Perdidas** — **Incipient Shire**

*Durango, CO*

**Seneschal**: Lady Leona of Phar View (Debbra Relaford), PO Box 523, Bayfield CO 81122, (970) 259-1825
**Fighter Practice**: Saturdays, 1 p.m. at Buckley Park. Contact Lord Angus MacIver (970) 382-0931

**Saint Golias** — **College**

*Socorro, NM*

**Seneschal**: Galen McIntire, PO Box 2563 c/s, Socorro, NM 87801, (505) 538-5868, gmc@nmt.edu
**Fighter Practice**: Sundays 1pm, NMT Macey Lawn. For more infor contact Treya Stormdragon (Lisa Arnold) (505) 835-1274
**Dance Practice**: Monday 6pm, NMT Student Activity Center

**Schola Metallorum** — **Incipient College**

*a college within Caerthe*
*Colorado School of Mines*

Seneschal: Tatiana Bonacieux (Tatiana Dueño), Bradford Hall 307, Golden, CO 80401, (303) 215-6387, e-mail: tdueno@mines.edu
Knight Marshal: Louie de Pointe du Lac (Brian Goff), Rnadall Hall 301, Golden, CO 80401, (303) 215-6240, e-mail: bgoff@mines.edu

**Scorpions Hollow** — **Shire**

*Portales/Clovis, NM*

**Seneschal**: Lady Nanette Rochelle (Nancy Brace), 1000 Hondo, Clovis NM 88101, (505) 762-1359
**Fighter Practice**: Saturdays at 4 p.m at Green Acres Park in Clovis. Contact Lord Edrick (505) 763-3528
*Scorpions Tales* Nanette Rochelle (Nancy Brace), $8/year. 1000 Hondo, Clovis NM 88101, (505) 762-1359

**Tygre's Keep** — **College**

*a college within Dragonsspine*
*Colorado College*

**Seneschal**: Lady Ceridwyn Dhubh (Bethany Schirmer), 902 North Cascade Avenue, WB# 548, Colorado Springs CO 80946, email: b_schirmer@cc.colorado.edu
*also see Dragonsspine*

**Unser Hafen** — **Barony**

*Larimer County/parts of Weld County, CO*

**Seneschal**: Mu'allima Rashiqah bint Azhar (Anne Scott), Society for Creative Anachronism, Barony of Unser Hafen, P.O. Box 271487, Ft. Collins, CO 80527
**Fighter Practice**: Summer site: City Park, Sundays 1-5 PM. Contact Caradoc (970) 416-0474, email: jf471003@lance. colostate.edu
**Archery Practice**: Thursdays 5-7 p.m. in rural Loveland. Contact Lady Angelina Crispiana d'Avignon (970) 225-2264
**Dance Practice**: 2nd & 4th Mondays, 7-9:30 p.m. Contact THL Catriona (970) 669-1754
Equestrian Practice: 1st & 3rd Thursdays, 6-10 p.m. at CSU Equine Center. Copies of SCA membership and current health insurance required. Contact Rosslin (970) 484-2213, email: sjmoyes@ lamar.colostate.edu
*The Tosspot* $8/year, Lady Phaedra of Crete (Cheryl Mitchell), 1712A Heritage Circle #37, Ft. Collins, CO 80526, (970) 482-8323
*also see Bofharrach*

**White Mountain** — **Shire**

*Alamogordo, NM*

**Seneschal**: Lord Finn Einarsson (David M. Mullins), 2502 Iowa Avenue, Alamogordo, NM 88310, (505) 434-5283, email: viking@zianet.com
**Fighter Practice**: Sundays 2 p.m. at Oregon Street Park, next to Kid's Kingdom.
**Archery Practice**: Saturdays 4 p.m., contact Kevin the fletcher (505) 437-8908

**Willowgate** — **Incipient Shire**

*Taos, NM*

**Seneschal**: Lady Kiara Wrynn (Katie Schwantes), PO Box 1345, El Prado, NM 87529, (505) 758-3202, sol@newmex.com

**Windkeep** — **Shire**

*Cheyenne/Warren AFB, WY*

**Seneschal**: Lady Renate Koven (Patricia Lee Hansen), 10205 Powderhouse Road, Cheyenne, WY 82009-9689, (307) 635-1320, renatek@juno.com
**Fighter Practice**: Every Thursday in Holiday Park (19th and Morrie) at 5:00p.m. Contact Laird Duncan MacAllister (307) 637-5293
**Archery**: Call Yanthlos (Morris Stewart) (307) 634-3500
*Windswept* $4 for 6 bi-monthly issues. Lady Renate Koven (Pat Hansen), 10205 Powderhouse Rd., Cheyenne WY 82009, (307) 635-1320

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| Nov 1997 | 11/1/97 | | Unser Hafen Arts & Sc |
| | 11/1/97 | | Outlands War Practice |
| | 11/8/97 - 11/9/97 | Yes | Outlands Coronation |
| | 11/15/97 | | Baronial Arts & Scienc |
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| Dec 1997 | 12/6/97 | Yes | Hunter's Feast |
| | 12/12/97 | | Baronial Yule |
| | 12/20/97 | | Caer Galen Midwinter |
| | 12/20/97 - 12/21/97 | | Midwinter Solemnities |
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| Feb 1998 | 2/7/98 | | Candlemas |
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| Mar 1998 | 3/14/98 - 3/15/98 | | Outlands Crown Tourn |
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| Apr 1998 | 4/4/98 | | Feast of Fools |
| | 4/11/98 - 4/12/98 | | Outlands Arts & Scien |
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| May 1998 | 5/9/98 - 5/10/98 | | Outlands Coronation ( |
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| Jun 1998 | 6/6/98 - 6/7/98 | | Baronial Champions T |
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| Jul 1998 | 7/11/98 - 7/12/98 | | Queen's Prize Tourne |
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| Aug 1998 | 8/14/98 - 8/16/98 | | Gatecrashers V |
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| Sep 1998 | 9/12/98 - 9/13/98 | | Outlands Crown Tourn |
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| iences | Unser Hafen | | |
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| | Citadel of the S Pass | Sasha | (915) 585-3155 |
| es | Dragonsspine | | |
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| | Windkeep | Rhys | (307) 632-1133 |
| | Unser Hafen | | |
| | Caer Galen | Genevieve | (303) 661-9682 |
| | al-Barran | | |
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| | Dragonsspine | | |
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| Aug 1997 | 8/1/97 - 8/3/97 | Yes | Unser Hafen Defender |
| | 8/1/97 - 8/3/97 | Yes | Pennsic Pity Party VII |
| | 8/2/97 | Yes | Willowgate Founder's R |
| | 8/8/97 - 8/10/97 | Yes | Quest for Dragons |
| | 8/15/97 - 8/17/97 | Yes | Gate Crashers |
| | 8/15/97 - 8/17/97 | Yes | No Frills Just Fun VII |
| | 8/16/97 | Yes | Hawks Hollow Champio |
| | 8/22/97 - 8/24/97 | Yes | Dragon's Quest VI |
| | 8/22/97 - 8/24/97 | Yes | Enduro VII |
| | 8/29/97 - 9/1/97 | Yes | Founder's Feast/Silver |
| | 8/29/97 - 9/1/97 | Yes | Field of Gold Tourney |
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| Sep 1997 | 9/5/97 - 9/7/97 | Yes | Golias Frontier War |
| | 9/6/97 - 9/7/97 | | Favor Tourney |
| | 9/13/97 - 9/14/97 | | Queen's Prize Tournam |
| | 9/19/97 - 9/21/97 | Yes | Champion of al-Barran |
| | 9/20/97 | Yes | Caerthen Warlord |
| | 9/26/97 - 9/28/97 | Yes | Challenge of the Sands |
| | 9/27/97 - 9/28/97 | Yes | Unser Hafen Equestrian |
| | 9/27/97 - 9/28/97 | Yes | Rolling Thunder Drum T |
| | 9/27/97 | Yes | Caer Galen Dance Colle |
| | 9/28/97 | Yes** | Basic Tunic Workshop |
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| Oct 1997 | 10/3/97 - 10/5/97 | Yes | Sack of the City II |
| | 10/4/97 | | Newcomer's Event |
| | 10/11/97 - 10/12/97 | Yes | Outlands Arts & Science |
| | 10/17/97 - 10/19/97 | Yes | Harvest |
| | 10/24/97 - 10/26/97 | Yes | Hob Goblin's Haunt |
| | 10/25/97 | Yes | Celtic New Year |
| | 10/25/97 | | Black and White Ball |
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## Calendar -- August 1997

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| | Unser Hafen | Elspeth | (970) 484-0628 |
| | Gleann Medanoch | Martinez | (505) 624-0848 |
| evel | Willowgate/al-Barran | Kiara | (505) 776-2981 |
| | Plattefordham | Mavis | (307) 237-1795 |
| | Dragonsspine | Serena | (719) 573-8498 |
| | Scorpion's Hollow | Edana | (505) 985-2614 |
| ns Tourney | Hawk's Hollow | Grellan | (303) 287-6963 |
| | Hinterland | Peregrine | (308) 436-2690 |
| | Citadel of the S Pass | Berold | (915) 585-3155 |
| Pass Tourney | Rio de las Animas | Leona | (970) 259-1825 |
| | Caerthe | Caelainn | (303) 287-6963 |
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| | Saint Golias | Aehdon | (505) 835-3549 |
| | Dragonsspine | Brilliana | (719) 634-0917 |
| ent | Drygestan | Madigan | (505) 260-0325 |
| | al-Barran | Martino | (505) 471-6571 |
| | Caerthe | Hoegaarden | (303) 740-0974 |
| | Kahlland | Vladimir | (505) 393-8571 |
| Championship | Unser Hafen | Jobita | (970) 484-4609 |
| Tourney | al-Barran | Elisheva | (505) 268-3633 |
| egium | Caer Galen | Klaus | (303) 438-8513 |
| | Caerthe | Taryn | (303) 893-4816 |
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| | Nahrun Kabirun | Christian | (505) 526-1590 |
| | Unser Hafen | | |
| es Collegium | Caerthe | Gabrielle | (303) 394-4003 |
| | Caer Mithin Halle | Adrienne | (505) 887-3028 |
| | Scorpion's Hollow | Melody | (505) 356-2937 |
| | al-Barran | Connor | (505) 259-6172 |
| | Bofharrach | | |
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